

The State of Texas,
County of Bexar, On this <sup>15th day of
March A.D. One thousand eight hundred and seventy five,
Before me, Sam'l S. Smith Clerk of the District
Court within and for the County and State aforesaid,
personally appeared Ricardo Hernandez, about, age, 65
years, who being duly sworn according to law, declares
that he is the identical Ricardo Hernandez,
who participated in the revolution which separated
Texas from Mexico, that he was born in San Antonio Texas, was
in the Company Commanded by Capt Manuel
Seal at the Storming of Bexar which took
place between the 5th and 10th day of De-
cember 1835,</sup>

his Company entered the Town of San Antonio
from the Molino Blanco
with the Texas Troops, and was present at
the Surrender of Genl Cos, and actually as-
signed in the reduction of Bexar and was
honorable discharged from the service, but
has never applied for or received any Bounty
or Donation lands for said services.

That his residence has been
continuous in Texas to the present date.